

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:  PETER MARK GREHLINGER ET AL  Serial No.: 10/643,879  Filed: AUGUST 20, 2003  For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR DYNAMICALLY CONTROLLING OPERATION OF RHEOMETRIC INSTRUMENTS	   Art Unit: 2173  Examiner: VU, Kieu D.
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**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on January 28, 2008, please reconsider the above-identified application in view of the remarks set forth below.

No extension of time or other fees are believed to be due, except as detailed in the attached documents. However, any extension of time necessary to prevent abandonment is hereby requested, and any fee necessary for consideration of this response is hereby authorized to be charged to Deposit Account Number 50-2613.

**Amendments to the Claims:** none.

**Remarks:** begin on page 2 of this paper.